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2. Two oil pipelines between the Schwechat Refinery and Wifo Lobau, which had been out of service since 14 May 1953 have been repaired and returned to service. The repair work was completed on 23 July 1953.

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